

**AMENDMENT**  
**OFFERED BY MR. WILSON OF OHIO**

At the end of the bill, add the following new section:

1   **SEC. 503. NANOTECHNOLOGY-RELATED RESEARCH TOPICS.**

2       (a) SBIR.—Section 9(g)(3) of the Small Business  
3 Act (15 U.S.C. 638(g)(3)) is amended—

4           (1) by striking “or” at the end of subparagraph  
5       (A);

6           (2) by adding “or” at the end subparagraph  
7       (B); and

8           (3) by adding at the end the following new sub-  
9       paragraph:

10           “(C) the national nanotechnology strategic  
11       plan required under section 2(c)(4) of the 21st  
12       Century Nanotechnology Research and Develop-  
13       ment Act (15 U.S.C. 7501(c)(4)) and in subse-  
14       quent reports issued by the National Science  
15       and Technology Council Committee on Tech-  
16       nology, focusing on areas of nanotechnology  
17       identified in such plan;”.

18       (b) STTR.—Section 9(o)(1) of the Small Business  
19 Act (15 U.S.C. 638(o)(1)) is amended by inserting “, giv-  
20 ing special consideration to topics that further 1 or more

1 critical technologies, as identified by the national  
2 nanotechnology strategic plan required under section  
3 2(c)(4) of the 21st Century Nanotechnology Research and  
4 Development Act (15 U.S.C. 7501(c)(4)) and in subse-  
5 quent reports issued by the National Science and Tech-  
6 nology Council Committee on Technology, focusing on  
7 areas of nanotechnology identified in such plan” after “its  
8 STTR program”.